Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 06 Aug 2024 until 23:59 on Wednesday 07 Aug 2024

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 06 Aug 2024 at 03:49

Confidence: High confidence for rather changeable and unsettled conditions this week.

Headline for Tuesday 06 Aug 2024: Mainly dry with sunny spells and a chance of showers this afternoon. Breezy.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 06 Aug 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	10%	20%	20%	10%

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Weather: Dry and sunny start to the day. Fair weather cloud building from late morning onwards, but still plenty of good sunny spells expected. Some scattered, mainly light showers developing into the afternoon, though these easing by early evening leaving dry conditions and partly cloudy skies. Light winds at first, but becoming breezy, or even windy at height.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Generally small patches of cloud above 700-800m from mid-late morning, then again in the evening. Extensive low cloud overnight down to 400m, clearing by morning. Very good visibility during the day with just brief reductions in any showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	17/21 W	19/25 SW	25/34 SW	28/38 SW	28/37 SW	28/36 SW	28/36 SW
600	13/16 SW	16/22 SW	20/29 SW	22/32 SW	21/30 SW	20/28 SW	19/28 SW
300	5/12 SW	11/19 SW	16/27 SW	16/29 SW	15/27 SW	14/26 SW	13/25 SW
Valley	5/12 SW	11/18 SW	15/26 SW	16/27 SW	15/26 SW	13/25 SW	13/24 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	8/4	8/4	9/5	9/5	9/4	8/4	8/3
600	10/7	11/8	12/8	12/8	11/8	11/7	10/7
300	12/11	14/12	14/12	15/12	14/11	13/11	12/10
Valley	13/12	15/13	16/14	17/14	16/13	14/12	14/12
Freezing Level*	1800m	1900m	2100m	2100m	2100m	2100m	2000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Generally good conditions for walking, but feeling quite fresh on the tops with gusty winds and afternoon showers resulting in some buffeting. High UV and a risk of sunburn which may be disguised by the cooling effect of the breeze.

Forecast for Wednesday 07 Aug 2024

Weather: Dry with some clear spells overnight then becoming cloudy in the morning with a few showers, these largely in the west. A few brighter spells likely at times, mainly in the east of the range. Strong, gusty winds.

Maximum wind: Southwest 25-35mph, occasionally gusting 35-45mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% across the west of the Snowdon/Yr Wyddfa range, becoming 60% by late afternoon. 80% elsewhere throughout.

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud on western slopes of the Snowdon/Yr Wyddfa range 500-700m from morning until late afternoon, then occasional patches after. A few broken patches of cloud around 800-900m elsewhere throughout. Away from cloud, generally very good visibility, occasionally a few kilometres in showers though.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12C rising to 18C.
At 800m: Plus 9C rising to 11C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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